

ORDINANCE NUMBER 071100

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF WOOD HEIGHTS, STATE OF MISSOURI:

SECTION 1: LEAD BAN GENERAL POLCY

- A. Purpose. - The purpose of this ordinance is 1. To ban the use of lead materials in the public drinking water system and private plumbing connected to the public drinking water system; and
- B. To protect city residents from lead contamination in the city's public drinking water system and their own private plumbing systems.

SECTION 2:

Application. This ordinance shall apply to al premises served by the public drinking water system of the City of Wood Heights.

SECTION 3:

Policy. This ordinance will be reasonably interpreted by the water purveyor. It is the purveyors intent to ban the use of lead based material in the construction or modification of the city's drinking water system or private plumbing connected to the city system. The cooperation of all consumers is required to implement the lead ban. If, in the judgment of the water purveyor or his authorized representative, lead bas materials have been used in new construction or modifications after January 1, 1989 due notice shall be given to the consumer. The consumer shall immediately comply by having the lead bas materials removed from the plumbing system and replaced with lead free materials. If the lead base materials are not removed from the plumbing system, the water purveyor shall have the right to discontinue water service to the premises.

SECTION 4:

The following definitions shall apply in the interpretation and enforcement of this ordinance:

1. Consumer means the owner or person in control of any premises supplied by or in any manner connected to a public eater system;
2. Lead base materials means any material containing lead in excess of the quantities specified in Section 4. A. 3.
3. Lead Free means:
 - (A.) When used with respect to solder and flux, refers to solders and flux containing not more than 0.2 percent (0.2%) lead; and
 - (B.) When used with respect to pipes and pipe fittings, refers to pipes and pipe fittings containing not more than eight percent (8.0%) lead.
4. Public drinking water system means any publicly or privately owner water system supplying water tot he general public which is satisfactory for drinking, culinary and domestic purposes and meets the requirements of the Missouri Department of Natural Resources; and
5. Water purveyor means the owner, operator, or individual in responsible charge of a public water system.

SECTION 5:

Lead Banned from Drinking Water Plumbing

- (A.) No water service connection shall be installed or maintained to any premises where lead base materials were used in new construction or modifications of the drinking water plumbing after January 1, 1989.
- (B.) If a premises is found to be in violation of SECTION 5A., water service shall be discontinued until such time that the drinking water plumbing is lead free.

SECTION 6:

This ordinance shall be effective and in force at the date of passage.

Read two times and passed this 11th day of July, 2000.

Mayor

Attest: